

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT TACOMA

ANNE STANDLEY JEDIDI,

Plaintiff,

v.

CAROLYN W. COLVIN, Acting  
Commissioner of the Social Security  
Administration,

Defendant.

CASE NO. 3:15-cv-05810 JRC

ORDER ON MOTION FOR EQUAL  
ACCESS TO JUSTICE ACT FEES,  
EXPENSES AND COSTS

This Court has jurisdiction pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(c), Fed. R. Civ. P. 73 and Local Magistrate Judge Rule MJR 13 (*see also* Notice of Initial Assignment to a U.S. Magistrate Judge and Consent Form, Dkt. 3; Consent to Proceed Before a United States Magistrate Judge, Dkt. 4).

This matter is before the Court on plaintiff's Motion for Costs and Attorney Fees under EAJA (*see* Dkt. 14). Defendant has no objection to plaintiff's motion (*see* Dkt. 15).

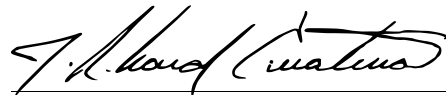
Based on the Equal Access to Justice Act, 28 U.S.C. § 2412, ("EAJA"), plaintiff's motion and time, expense and costs itemizations (Dkt. 14), and the relevant record, it is hereby ORDERED that EAJA attorney's fees of \$5,651.32 and expenses in the amount of \$10.68, shall

1 be awarded to plaintiff pursuant to the EAJA and consistent with *Astrue v. Ratliff*, 130 S.Ct.  
2 2521, 2524, 2010 U.S. LEXIS 4763 at \*\*\*6-\*\*\*7 (2010).

3 It is further ORDERED that costs in the amount of \$400.00 shall be awarded to plaintiff  
4 pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1920.

5 The Acting Commissioner agrees to contact the Department of Treasury after the Order  
6 for EAJA fees, expenses and costs is entered to determine if the EAJA fees and expenses are  
7 subject to any offset. If it is determined that plaintiff's EAJA fees and expenses are not subject  
8 to any offset allowed pursuant to the Department of the Treasury's Offset Program, then the  
9 check for EAJA fees, expenses and costs shall be sent to plaintiff's attorney. If there is an offset,  
10 the remainder shall be made payable to plaintiff, based on the practice of the Department of the  
11 Treasury (*see, e.g.*, Case No. 2:15-cv-122, Dkt. 22, p. 4). Any check for EAJA fees, expenses  
12 and costs shall be mailed to plaintiff's counsel, Todd R. Renda, Esq., at 6314 19<sup>th</sup> Street West,  
13 Suite 21, Tacoma, WA 98466-6223.

14 Dated this 1st day of July, 2016.

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17 J. Richard Creatura  
18 United States Magistrate Judge  
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